

LAST MINUTE MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 24, 2004

TO: MEMBERS, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

FROM: Judy Pinegar, Manager
Waiver Office

RE: Item No. W-34

SUBJECT: Request by **Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary School District (UESD)** to waive *Education Code* (EC) Section 49550, the State Meal Mandate during the Summer School Session.

Waiver Number: 22-5-2004

When this waiver was turned in to the State Board of Education for the July 2004 meeting agenda, it was believed that this district only met one of the two criteria that are required to be recommended for approval. They did, at that time, meet Criteria One: The summer school session is less than four hours duration and is completed by noon, allowing pupils to go home during the lunch period.

Since that time, however the district has provided adequate proof that they do indeed also meet Criteria Four: Serving meals during the summer school session would result in a financial loss to the school district, documented by the district, in an amount equal to one-third of the foodservice net cash resources or, if those cash resources are nonexistent, an amount equivalent to one month's operating costs.

On this basis, the California Department on Education is changing the recommendation on this waiver for Bass Lake Joint UESD from "denial" to "approval."